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[Despatch Abstract.]

1. A Superintending Engineer, Madras Engineering Service. Drawing and disbursing powers

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

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ABSTRACT

Travelling Allowance-Superintending Engineers, Madras Engineering Service-Downgrading of--Orders passed.

Finance Department

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Read the following:

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ORDER:

Superintending Engineers were formerly included in I Class in Article 1002 of the Civil Service Regulation for the purpose of travelling allowance. When the Madras Travelling Allowance Rules were issued in 1922, they were included in Grade I of Annexure I of the said rules, as they were then mostly officers of the Indian Service of Engineers (an All-India Service) on a scale of pay of Rs.1,750—2,150, as in the case of Conservators of Forests and Deputy Inspectors.General of Police. Some of the posts of Superintending Engineers are now held by officers of the Madras Engineering Service on Rs.1,000-100/2-1-1,200 and these officers are also treated as officers of Grade I for the purpose of travelling allowance, in order that there may be no invidious distinction between officers of the same class. The Joint Director of Agriculture and the Joint Director of Industries and Commerce, who are on the same scale of pay as Superintending Engineers of the Madras Engineering Service, are now treated only as Grade II officers. The question, therefore, arose whether Superintending Engineers of the Madras Engineering Service should not be re-classified as Grade II or Grade III officers according to their pay. The Government have considered the question carefully. As it has not been the policy of the Government to extend, as a matter of course, to members of State Services, all the concessions enjoyed by members of All-India Services, the Government have decided to withdraw the concession now enjoyed by Superintending Engineers of the Madras Engineering Service, and accordingly direct that they be classified as Grade II or Grade III officers according as their pay exceeds or does not exceed Rs.1,000/-.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 read with article 313 of the Constitution of India, His Excellency the Governor of Madras hereby makes the following amendment to the Madras Travelling Allowance Rules (Part II of the Madras Manual of Special Pay and Allowances, Volume I).

Amendment

In Annexure I to the said rules, under Grade I, the following Note shall be inserted, namely:—

"Note—Superintending Engineers who belong to the Madras Engineering Service will be treated as Grade II or Grade III

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officers according as their pay exceeds or does not exceed Rs.1,000/-.

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